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EDITORIAL

United States District Court for this district will convene in Las Vegas on the second Monday in November. A large number of cases are said to be on the docket.

A New York man who was declared dead by Bellevue hospital physicians, was brought to life again by compressed air. A big air compressor plant is being sent to Las Vegas.

The territorial fair has proved quite an expensive luxury to Albuquerque. The deficit this year will amount to about eight hundred dollars; but Albuquerque and the visitors who attended the fair had a good time and probably feel that the fair is worth all it cost.

There are eighteen idle schools in San Miguel county. Eighteen school buildings closed because of the shortage of funds in the county treasury available for school purposes. This state of affairs is causing considerable of uneasiness to the county officials, and progressive citizens of Las Vegas.

Wednesday afternoon Sophus Richard, of the French Land & Irrigation arrived here in company with ten residents of Iowa and Illinois who are looking for homes on the company's domain. In a couple of weeks Mr. Richard will have here a full car of homeseekers from the Middle states, forty in all. That there is something going on in the way of land transactions, there is no question.—Springer Stockman.

President Ripley of the Santa Fe states that the Santa Fe system will be given no new work for the next year all of the improvement work now commenced will be completed, this will include one hundred miles of double track between Chicago and Kansas City and four hundred miles of rebuilding of the Pan Handle division. The Santa Fe has twenty per cent more cars and twelve per cent more motive power than a year ago.

W. Lee Hill, Chas. Cunningham, Forest Louneke, John F. Butts, G. W. Louneke of Raton, and Thomas A. Salazar and J. B. Martinez of this city, left here early Thursday morning for the mountains in the southwestern part of the county where they will spend ten days hunting deer and wild turkey and in general enjoying an outing in the mountains. The boys were well loaded with supplies such as chuck, bedding, guns and ammunition. There is no question but what they will have a good time. The open season on turkey commenced with the first of this month and the deer season on the 15th.—Springer Stockman.

Politics in Morocco are not much different than they are in more enlightened countries, after all. In some countries there is the ward boss, or the county boss, whom it is necessary to control if success is to be obtained. In Morocco there are Caid, who control the influence of their particular locality. The new sultan of south Morocco, is just now developing some really astute political manipulation. When he finds a Caid or Chief of sufficient power and influence to be of political use to him, he takes in marriage the Caid's favorite daughter, and the Caid swears allegiance to the new sultan. As the mother-in-law problem does not seem to vex the orientals to any degree, it is believed the plan will work out nicely. The sultan is rapidly increasing his harem and his political power. It is hardly probable that the plan will become a popular one in occidental countries for some time.

NOTICE.

NO HUNTING

Will be permitted during the present season on the properties of the Urraca ranch. All persons disregarding this notice may expect to be prosecuted.
GEO. H. WEBSTER JR.

Daily Freight Service.

A daily freight service superceding the tri-weekly service of the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain & Pacific railroad was instituted on October 20. This was made necessary by the increasing freight business of this company and is a great aid to more rapid service to all their patronage. There is now daily freight service between Raton and Des Moines and between Raton and Cimarron. The freight shipped via this route has been received here in the shortest possible time and this change to daily service will be much appreciated by the public.

Cimarron Girl Weds in East.

Miss Margaret Christie, of Cimarron, was married to George R. Fryman, of Johnstown, Pa., on Tuesday, at Grand Rapids, Mich. The ceremony took place at the residence of Miss Christie's sister, who is Miss Gertrude Christie. The parents of the bride were present. Miss Christie was for some time a teacher in New Mexico and met her present husband while he was working for the Santa Fe. However they had met before in the Michigan Agriculture College when both were students there. They will tour Michigan and live in Johnstown, Pa.

RATON PEOPLE INJURED IN A SOUTHERN WRECK.

Mrs. V. J. Owens, and two children, Mrs. Mallye and Virgil Owens, who left Raton a short time ago for their old home in Greenville, Texas, met with a serious accident as the train was near Wichita Falls. The wreck shattered several cars and injured the party severely. The extent of their injuries have not been learned by their Raton friends. They are confined to a hospital. The railroad has offered to compromise on the damage sustained for \$5,000. From reports received it is known, however, that none of the party was mortally injured. Elbert and Roy Owens, who are still in Raton are sons of Mrs. Owens.

Raton Gleanings.

(Raton Range, Wednesday, Oct. 23)
Sam. Officer, druggist at Cimarron, was in town on business Monday.

J. Bowers and daughter spent Sunday visiting a son of Mr. Bowers in Cimarron. On their return trip to Trinidad they spent some time here visiting the Mullis family.

G. S. Taylor and C. J. Doggett arrived in Raton the first part of the week with 199 head of cattle which were sold here. The cattle had been driven overland from Taylor, N. M.

Dr. T. B. Hart attended the New Mexico Medical association at Santa Fe last week. Twenty-six doctors were admitted to practice in the territory. Dr. Hart is president of the association and reports a very interesting week of work in its interest.

E. L. Carpenter of Dawson, superintendent of the company operating the big coal mines at that camp, was an arrival today in Santa Fe, and registered at the Claire. He came here on business.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Charles F. Remsburg left Raton on Monday afternoon in his auto for a short trip to his ranch at Ute Park. He reached Cimarron at 4:30, and on account of the rough condition of the roads beyond this point he shifted from his auto to a two-horse rig with which he pursued the balance of his journey. Mr. Remsburg was accompanied by Mrs. Remsburg, Mrs. A. C. Price and Jesse Humphrey. This party returned to Raton late Tuesday night.

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Locals and Personals

Sam P. Officer, manager of the drug store, went to Raton Monday morning for a few days.

Judge James S. Wilson is building a new frame stable on a lot west of his blacksmith shop.

Last Sunday afternoon Elizabeth-town was visited by a slight fall of snow, the first of the season.

The Continental Tie and Lumber company is building four dwelling houses just west of its new planing mill.

William Lambert went to Raton on Tuesday morning where he consulted with Dr. Dryden at the Gardiner hospital.

Charles Springer and Frederic Whitney have been gone most of the week on a hunting trip among the hills hereabouts.

Sunday morning Ira Duekworth shot a raccoon nearly opposite the Oxford hotel. It has been sent to Raton to be mounted.

A. G. Allen, chief engineer of the Cimarron & Northwestern railroad, came in Monday evening from Trinidad, bringing with him eight men to work on the bridges on the above line.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Marling, Mrs. J. W. Records, Mrs. Ira Duekworth and William A. Brooke went to Raton Tuesday morning for two days. While in Raton they took in the circus.

A pie social will be given by the Union Sunday-school in the school house in the old part of the town on Saturday evening, October 26, at 8 o'clock. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

Frank M. Williams, of Raton, traveling auditor of the Rocky Mountain railroad, has been in town this week examining the accounts of that company at this point. Mr. Williams made a short trip to Ute Park.

Henry Livran is building on the corner of Sixth street and Lincoln avenue, a large adobe dwelling house of six rooms with all modern conveniences. Mr. Livran and family will occupy this residence upon its completion.

The new minister having arrived, services will be resumed after three weeks intermission at the Methodist church next Sunday. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30. All are cordially invited to attend.

Joseph Lowrey, of Elizabethtown, spent Monday night here on his way to Trinidad. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lowrey, his daughter Mrs. Dr. Bass and his little grandson. Mr. Lowrey is an old resident of Elizabethtown, and a large mine owner in the northern part of this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Wonder, who for the past five months have been carrying on business here and having turned their store over to Mr. Staley, the new proprietor, are resting here for a few days. The first of next week they leave for Pueblo, Colo., where they will spend the winter.

Robert J. Staley has bought out the Wonder Trading company. He took possession last Monday and will continue the business at the old stand and in the same line of goods, except groceries. Later Mr. Staley will have on hand a fresh stock of Christmas goods. He spent Saturday last in Raton.

Parties have started in to re-open the old Bob Tail and Senate mines, as well as the Legal Tender mine. A long tunnel has been started in the Cimarron canon east of Tabby creek, known as the Cimarron mining district eight miles from the end of the railroad and twenty-one miles from Cimarron townsite.

George S. Foster, agent for Maney Brothers, left for Trinidad Tuesday morning. Mr. Foster is trying to find two cars of oats which he has bought and paid for and which are stalled somewhere on the line of the Santa Fe railroad. The oats are very much needed here and should have arrived two weeks ago.

The justice of this district, James S. Wilson, esquire, held court here on Saturday evening last. The case tried was a complaint against William Whiteman for the larceny of one two-year-old steer, November 17, 1905, the property of James Livingston. The judge, after hearing the evidence, dismissed the complaint for want of evidence.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Webster, jr., left here Monday morning for a two days trip to Raton and Trinidad. Dr. Herbert B. Marsen, a physician and surgeon of Ft. Worth, Tex.,

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as, has decided to locate in Cimarron. Dr. Marsten will arrive the latter part of the month and open an office in the new part of the town.

Rev. John A. Cutler, pastor of the First Baptist church, Joseph Wernz, conductor and five other men from Raton came in at 7 o'clock Friday evening and at day break Saturday morning left for the Moreno Valley where they will camp for the next two weeks. They are in hopes to find good hunting and fishing.

During the present week there will be shipped over the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain and Pacific line the following cattle from the Vermejo stock yards, viz: 50 carloads belonging to S. Calley and 25 carloads belonging to H. M. Letts. From the Cimarron stock yards 12 carloads belonging to Geo. H. Webster, jr.

Dr. and Mrs. Horatio Walker left here Friday afternoon for Elizabethtown, where for a few days they will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Bess. Dr. Walker has the reputation of being a good hunter, so his friends here would not be surprised if he brought back with him several pounds of very nice venison.

Q. A. Martinez, of Wagon Mound, editor of the El Combate, was in Cimarron on Tuesday. A few weeks ago his newspaper office was destroyed by fire. Mr. Martinez will replace his plant and shortly commence the re-publication of his paper.

Dr. Walter A. Bailey connected with the Dawson Fuel company's hospital, returned last week from Los Angeles, Cal. Dr. Bailey was married in California, July 27th last to Miss Chase, but the marriage was kept secret until the present time when the doctor brings his bride home with him. They will go to housekeeping one block west of the hospital.

Carl A. Nyphus, connected with the First National Bank; George A. Norman, engineer; Samuel T. Ruby, engineer; Emmett Chrystal, engineer, all of Raton, and Frank Forsyth, of Las Vegas, spent Thursday night here and left Friday morning for the Ponil canon. They intend to camp for the next two weeks on the banks of the Ponil river, 24 miles from Cimarron. They intend to be gone three weeks and are in hopes to find some good hunting in the deer and wild turkey line.

The new Methodist minister, Rev. John A. Morgan, arrived in town on

Sunday evening from Elgin, Texas. Rev. Morgan is a very pleasant and agreeable man and will no doubt win his way into the high regard and esteem of the people. He has spent a good share of his time since his arrival in calling on his parishioners who have given him a warm welcome.

The new county bridge over the Cimarron river is two-thirds completed. This will be a fine bridge when finished and will meet a long-felt want in this part of the county. It is a re-inforced concrete bridge, three forty-feet spans and sixteen feet road way. It is being built in a substantial manner by the Cimarron Construction company. The county commissioners at their meeting last week voted to pay the contractors two thousand dollars on account for work done on the bridge.

This part of Colfax county in and around Cimarron is destined to become one of the great agricultural sections in New Mexico. On the 21st of June of the present year, there was a field of corn planted on the Charles Springer ranch. The land was never irrigated. On the 30th of September the corn was harvested and found to yield from 45 to 50 bushels to the acre, a few acres producing 55 bushels. There are but few localities west of the Missouri river that can surpass this record. What is said of corn is equally true of sugar beets, for on this same ranch the present season, without irrigation, there has been produced sugar beets weighing from six and one-half pounds upwards. The tests of the beets raised here have been found to yield from 22 to 25 per cent of saccharine matter, while around Garden City, Kansas, where the farmers are engaged very extensively in raising sugar beets, the average of saccharine matter is only 16 per cent. There is today no more inviting field for the farmer to make money than in this region in cultivating the sugar beet where land is plentiful and cheap. It can be truly said that there is no more alluring field today for the capitalist to invest his money with the prospect of handsome returns than to erect a sugar factory in or around Cimarron.

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AVISO.

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WILLIAM FRENCH,
Por la Compania de Rocas del W. S.